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1. DEL IS CORRECT IN ASSUMING YOU SHOULD OPPOSE PLENARY
ADOPTION OF RES. CONTAINED REFTTEL.

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2. ALTHOUGH THE U.S. IS UNALTERABLY OPPOSED TO APARTHEID,

THIS RESOLUTION RAISES OTHER IMPORTANT PRINCIPLES AS WELL:
THE PRINCIPLE OF UNIVERSALITY, AND THE PRINCIPLE OF THE
OBSERVANCE OF THE RULE OF LAW BY INTERNATIONAL
ORGANIZATIONS, BOTH OF WHICH WE STRONGLY SUPPORT.

3. IOC STATUTE APPROVED BY UNESCO GC SPECIFICALLY
PROVIDES FOR IOC MEMBERSHIP BY ANY STATE THAT IS A MEMBER
OF THE UN OR ANY ORGANIZATION IN THE UN SYSTEM. SHORT OF
AMENDING THAT STATUTE, GC CANNOT LEGITIMATELY DEPRIVE
SOUTH AFRICA OF ITS RIGHT TO BELONG TO IOC. RIGHT OF
PARTICIPATION IN IOC MEETING IS A FUNDAMENTAL ELEMENT OF
MEMBERSHIP IN THAT ORGANIZATION. THEREFORE, WE BELIEVE
YOU SHOULD PUBLICLY URGE THE DG NOT TO RESPOND TO THIS
INVITATION TO COMMIT AN ILLEGAL ACTION. ROBINSON

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